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FROM EMBASSY DOHA

EO 11652: NA

TAGS: BEXP ETRD QA

SUBJ: POSSIBLE BOYCOTT OF AQUA CHEM

REF: STATE 212448

1. RE AQUA CHEM'S INTEREST IN QATAR DESALINATION PROJECT, MINISTRY OF ELECTRICITY AND WATER DIRECTOR PHILLIPS TOLD US HE BELIEVES COMPANY BOYCOTTED HERE. PHILLIPS SAID THAT AQUA CHEM WAS ON LIST OF FIRMS WHO WERE INVITED TO BID FOR FIRST TWO UNITS OF DESALINATION PLANT BUT ARAB BOYCOTT OFFICE ORDERED NAME REMOVED. EMBOFF ASKED ABOUT AQUA CHEM EQUIPMENT INSTALLED IN QATAR (REFTEL). PHILLIPS SAID HE IS POSITIVE NO AQUA CHEM PRODUCTS HAVE BEEN PURCHASED BY HIS MINISTRY.

2. ONLY ACCURATE LOCAL SOURCE OF INFO ON BOYCOTT IS DOHA BRANCH OF BOYCOTT OFFICE. WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S GUIDANCE ON PERMISSIBILITY OF EMBASSY CONTACTS WITH BOYCOTT OFFICE AND ANY INFO AVAILABLE TO DEPT OR BEIRUT RE STATUS AQUA CHEM.

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